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A WOMAN'S ENCHANTMENT

BY WILLIAM LE QUEUX

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"These three documents are most important, sir," he declared, "and I trust you will not fail to allow me to copy them. The first actually gives the prescription for making that compound which in Andrea Gritti's day was used with such fatal and secret effect by the Inquisitors. The whole history of Venice teems with secret assassinations of enemies of the republic, and here we have the actual instructions for the manufacture of the poison. I would urge you, whatever you do, not to allow these documents—especially the one of the 14th of December—to fall into the hands of any person who might make use of it. Imagine what a potent power would be placed in their hands!"

I promised him.

So interested was he that he read and reread them over and over again. Then I paid him his fee, three guineas, and, replacing the old parchments in my pocket, was soon walking in the direction of the station in High Street, Kensington.

Two points were uppermost in my mind. First, whether this secret poison of the dreaded Council of Ten of Venice had actually been used in Redcliffe Gardens; and, secondly, whether the moment of the last to Bolton street Ralph Gresham had not been engaged in the upstairs room, endeavoring to manufacture some of the poison according to the formula set out upon the damp-stained paper?

(The original of these documents have been returned to the state archives at Venice, where they may now be seen. They, however, do not appear in the index, as it is feared that improper use might be made of the formula contained—The Author.)

CHAPTER XXXII

Back in Yorkshire.

I held back from my friend Cunliffe what I had discovered concerning the three parchments, which he merely regarded as historically valuable documents hidden away by Garshore for some purpose known only to himself.

The letters of which we had taken possession were all unimportant to us—all save one. It was written upon paper of the Hotel Excelsior at Cimet, and signed "Elfrida."

There was no date, yet its tenor was that of regret—a letter, indeed, of farewell.

To my companion it, of course, conveyed nothing. To me, it was, however, full of significance. As I told him that that same night I ate King's Cross again for Malton, arriving there at early morning, and taking up temporary quarters at a quiet old-fashioned hotel with a big garden just up the hill outside the town. I had passed it in the train many times and had often thought I would like to see what the place was like. At 11 o'clock I called upon Mrs. Maynard, in pretense that I was compelled to remain idle in Malton that day. She believed me, and as I sat in the long, old-fashioned drawing room of the charming house half a mile from the town I began to chat about our mutual friends, the Stapletons.

Myra, she informed me, was very unwell, and a doctor from York had been sent for. She and her father were to leave shortly for Switzerland. Then a pressing invitation to remain for luncheon was followed by the entry of my divinity dressed in a well-fitting riding habit and neat little bowler hat, she having just come in from her ride.

"Only fancy finding you here, Mr. Ralston!" she cried, her cheeks flushing pleasantly. "I've just come back from the Grange. Myra is a little brighter. Of late she's been very poorly. Curiously enough she was only this morning wondering what had become of you! She got an illustrated card from you from some out-of-the-way place in Asia Minor, she said. Really you are not nothing if not a wanderer!"

"Yes, Miss Maynard," I laughed. "I've been moving about a good deal of late." I did not, of course, refer to her call upon me at my rooms. "Did Myra express a wish to see me?"

"She has done so on several occasions lately. Only a week ago she said she wished she knew where you were. I think, indeed, she sent a letter to your club in London."

"Then I must run over and see her—if only for an hour or so," I said. "You'll excuse me while I go and change, won't you?" cried the girl merrily, and then disappeared.

To be Continued.

A NARROW ESCAPE.

Edgar N. Bayliss, a merchant of Robinsonville, Del., wrote: "About two years ago I was thin and sick, and coughed all the time and if I did not have consumption, it was near to it. I commenced using Foley's Honey and Tar, and it stopped my cough, and I am now entirely well, and have gained twenty-eight pounds, all due to the good results from taking Foley's Honey and Tar." F. B. Brill, local agent.

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JOKES ON MONARCHS.

Some Daring Pranks Played Upon Royal Personages.

A FLOWER FOR THE KAISER.

Decorations That Made His Majesty Explode With Wrath—A Medical Diploma For a Prince of Wales—The Duke and the Stockbrokers.

Some years ago a paragraph appeared in a Berlin daily stating that Prince Henry, who had just returned from his visit to the United States, had brought home as a present to his brother a number of plants of a new variety of crimson carnation. "As every one knows," the paragraph concluded, "the red carnation is his imperial majesty's favorite flower."

On the day after the publication of this news the kaiser was due at Aix-la-Chapelle. A member of the town council suggested that every one in the town wear a buttonhole of the kaiser's favorite flower.

The suggestion was at once acted on. The flock coated members of the deputation which waited next morning on the platform each wore proudly a buttonhole of the deepest crimson.

The poor fellows could not conceive why the kaiser's demeanor was so freezing. He dismissed them with a few words, got into his carriage and drove off.

At the town hall was another deputation, similarly decorated. Then his majesty's wrath exploded. "What is the meaning of this insult?" he demanded. Some one explained, and then one of the kaiser's attendants took the mayor aside. "My dear sir," he said, "surely you know that the red carnation is the emblem of the Social Democrats and of all flowers the one which his majesty chiefly detests."

Many years ago King Edward VII, then Prince of Wales, was the subject of a stupid hoax. He received a letter informing him of his unanimous election as honorary member of the Princeton medical faculty and signed by three students. With his invariable courtesy the recipient requested his private secretary to acknowledge it. The reply said, "His royal highness will remember with pride and satisfaction the mark of distinction received at the hands of the Princeton medical faculty."

As a matter of fact, there is not and never was such an organization.

As impudent a hoax as ever was heard of was perpetrated in 1904 upon a Belgian paper. A letter purporting to be in the handwriting and above the signature of Princess Louise of Coburg was received by the editor, who very foolishly published it as its genuineness.

This letter gave a long catalogue of the wrongs of Princess Louise and of her sisters and constituted a most brutal attack upon her father, the king of the Belgians.

The letter was at once copied by a number of other papers, including more than one in England. Naturally it gave great pain to the princess herself, and the only wonder is that a prosecution for libel was not the immediate result.

Some years ago a young American woman who was staying in Copenhagen made a bet with a friend that she would propose to the king of Denmark.

On one of the king's public reception days the American lady found her way to the royal residence.

"What can I do for you, madam?" asked the king.

"Your majesty, I desired to ask you if you would like to marry me?" was the reply.

The king merely smiled.

"I am afraid I am a little too old," he said, and at the same moment he beckoned to one of the officials to conduct the lady to the door. He had put her down as a harmless lunatic.

A joke of rather a rough order was played upon the first cousin of the emperor of Austria, the Archduke Salvator, once when he was in Paris. He was passing the bourse—the Parisian equivalent of the Stock Exchange—when his companion, a lanky young French count, suggested that he might look inside.

"If you walk straight in," he said, "no one will notice you. They will take you for a stockbroker."

The duke took him at his word, but of course he was no sooner inside than he was recognized as a sightseer. His silk hat was instantly spirited away, and he was at once surrounded by a mob of dealers with notebooks showing fabulous offers to buy or sell stock.

The duke had a desperate struggle to reach the front lobby, and when at last he got there, hatless and breathless, he found that some genial soul had planned a long price list to the tails of his coat.

It is not likely that any reigning sovereign ever got a more unpleasant scare than did Ferdinand of Bulgaria some five years ago. His private secretary, a young baron, was away in Austria on a vacation when a letter arrived that he did not propose to return and that he would be glad for the sum of \$40,000; otherwise, he wrote, he would be compelled to sell a number of secret documents which he had taken away with him.

Instantly Prince Ferdinand dispatched a couple of secret service envoys in chase of his missing secretary, whom they ran to ground peacefully shooting on his own estate. Further investigation proved the missive to be nothing but a hoax.—London Answers.

Sympathy.

"It was a frightful moment when I received your letter telling me of the insuperable obstacle to our marriage. I would have shot myself, but I had no money to buy a revolver. She—Dearest, if only you had let me know.—Simplicissimus."

A Mean Friend.

"All the dust flies up my nose."

"Well, Cholly, maybe the city will pay you to parade the streets. Perhaps, instead of sweeping, it would be better to clean them by a vacuum process."—Kansas City Journal.

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BERNARD KEATING, Secretary.

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